GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department – Appointment of the Commissioner of Food Safety – Notification under section 30 (1) of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 read with Rule 2.1.1 of the Food Safety and Standards Rules, 2011 – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (H.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 121 Dated: 26-09-2024

Read the following:

1	G.O.Ms.No.66, HM & FW (H1) Department, Dated:03.05.2024.
2	G.O.Rt.No.1160, GA (SC.A) Department, Dated:02.07.2024.
3	From the Director (FAC), Institute of Preventive Medicine, Public Health Labs & Food (Health) Administration, A.P., Vijayawada, Lr.Rc.No.879/FSSA/AP/2016-24, Dated:21.09.2024.

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ORDER:

The Government of India has promulgated integrated food law namely Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (Act No.34 of 2006) by repealing all the existing food laws/orders and it came into force from 05.08.2011. The implementation of the Food Safety & Standards Act is vested with the State Government through the Commissioner of Food Safety appointed under section 30(1) of the said Act.

2. As per Rule 2.1.1 of Food Safety Standards Rules, 2011, “No person below the rank of Commissioner and Secretary to State Government shall be eligible to be appointed as the Commissioner of Food Safety”.

3. In the reference 1st read above, Dr. Venkateswar Salijamala, IAS, Director, Secondary Health & Director (FAC) Health & Family Welfare was notified as the Commissioner of Food Safety for the State of Andhra Pradesh to exercise the powers and perform the functions under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 and the Rules 2011 & Regulations 2011 made there under.

4. In the reference 2nd read above, Dr. Venkateswar Salijamala, IAS, Director, Secondary Health & Director (FAC) Health & Family Welfare was transferred and posted as Collector & District Magistrate, Tirupati District.

5. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director, Institute of Prevent Medicine, Public Health Labs & Food (Health) Administration, A.P., Vijayawada has requested the Government to notify the Commissioner of Food Safety, Andhra Pradesh as per 2.1.1 of the Food Safety and Standards Rules, 2011 and Section 30 of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.

(P.T.O.)

6. Government after examination, hereby issue the following Notification, which will be published in the Extra-ordinary Andhra Pradesh Gazette:

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 30 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 read with Rule 2.1.1 of the Food Safety and Standards Rules, 2011 and in supersession of the orders issued in G.O. 1st read above, Government hereby notify Sri Chevuru Harikiran IAS, Commissioner, Health and Family Welfare as the Commissioner of Food Safety for the State of Andhra Pradesh to exercise the powers and perform the functions under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 and the Rules & Regulations, 2011 made there under with immediate effect.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.T. KRISHNA BABU
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner, Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase,
A.P., Vijayawada (with a request to issue Extra-ordinary
Gazette Notification).
The Commissioner, Food Safety, A.P. Vijayawada
The Director (FAC), Institute of Preventive Medicine, Public Health Labs &
Food (Health) Administration, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director, H&FW & MD, NHM, A.P., Mangalagiri.
Copy to:-
The concerned officers (Director, IPM).
The P.S. to Special Chief Secretary to Government, H.M. & F.W. Department.
The P.S. to Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.
The OSD to Hon'ble M(HFW&ME).
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SECTION OFFICER